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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF DRAWING INCONSISTENCY WITH SPECIFICATION**

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Sir:

In response to the "Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification," Applicants respectfully request that pages 8-9 of the specification be replaced with the attached page 8. Applicants' representative contacted the Patent Publishing Division, and was advised that marked-up changes are needed. Thus, a clean copy of page 8 is being submitted. The reference and description of Figures 6A-6C and 7A-7C are being deleted since these Figures were never submitted.

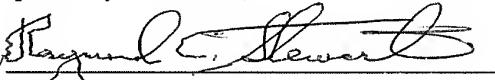
If there are any questions, please contact Eugene T. Perez (Reg. No. 48,501) at the offices of Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP.

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